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COURTS WILL SETTLE STREET WIDENING DAMAGES DISPUTE

QUORUM KEPT DECISION IN AIR

Board Will Probably Pass Motion at Meeting on Monday Eve to Cut Assessments in About Half.

BROWN TALKS ON WHAT PROPERTY VALUES ARE

Claims Acreage at Twenty-Third and Macdonald Avenue Is Worth Only \$2500 Per Acre When Not Cut Up.

Because it requires a vote of five members of the City Council to carry any motion, the Twenty-third street widening controversy still remains unsettled. That the dispute will be thrown into the courts was obvious to any of the many in attendance at the hearing before the City Council last evening. With Follett and Willis steadfastly refusing to vote for a motion to cut the assessments in half and thus cause the whole matter to go into the courts, and the City Council, Pictou and Fernald favoring this step but unable to get either one of the other two to swing to their side, the whole matter was postponed until Monday evening.

First a motion was made by Follett to have the assessments as made by the street commissioners, as well as their report, adopted, came up. Willis seconded the motion, but when the vote was taken Ludewig, Garrard, Pictou and Fernald registered a negative ballot and Follett's motion died.

Then Garrard moved that the assessments levied by the commissioners be cut in half, which would mean throwing the whole matter into the court. Fernald seconded the motion.

At this juncture City Attorney Hall stepped to the council table and informed the members that it would be necessary to postpone action unless the obdurate ones saw things differently. He stated that five votes were necessary to carry. As Hartnutt, Lane and Perry were absent, nothing could be done.

Charges and counter charges were made by the attorneys for both sides. The whole question resolved itself down to the assessment of \$8000 an acre made for the thirty-five foot strip running in front of Burg Brothers' property from Macdonald avenue north.

Herbert F. Brown and his crowd contended the assessment was too high and Brown stated \$2500 an acre was sufficient of an assessment. Burg Brothers declared they had originally intended to charge \$12,000 for their acreage, as it is customary to base valuations three times as high as the assessor does.

In the case of Twenty-third street, their representatives declared, they were anxious to have the street go through and had agreed to let the valuation be placed at about twice the figure of Marshall.

Herbert F. Brown was placed on the stand to give a correct valuation of the property. He refused to state what lots in his property was selling for and declared that more acreage was not worth what subdivision property would naturally be worth.

He stated that lots were worth what a good real estate salesman could get for them. If the question of income was considered, he contended, that the strip valued at \$8000 by Burg Brothers was worth nothing, as it had never been offered for sale and could not be, and for that reason was nothing but a dead weight.

At this juncture John G. Rogello and A. H. Andrade were introduced as witnesses for Brown. They placed a valuation of \$3000 an acre on the land at Twenty-third street and Macdonald.

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MRS. JESSIE STUBBS

A Chicagoan, who has taken the front rank among the women carrying the slogan of suffrage.



TUNNEL BONDS ARE SIGNED BY MAYOR

Practically settling the question as to which of the two propositions submitted to the council by the E. H. Rollins & Sons, bond buyers, would be taken up by the City Council, the mayor and city clerk yesterday signed their names to 290 coupons, each representing \$1000 of the city's coin.

The first proposition of the big bonding firm to take up \$290,000 more of the tunnel and harbor bond issue was undoubtedly the best. This company has already purchased \$300,000 worth of the bonds, and it is understood that the council has expended already \$100,000 of this amount, making it imperative that more bonds be sold in order to continue the tunnel work.

The two propositions submitted were:

First—For \$290,000 of tunnel and harbor bonds, to mature at the rate of \$10,000 each year after 1924 and running to 1952, inclusive. They offer to take the bonds and pay the accrued interest to the date of delivery.

Second—The company will pay \$50 for an option on the remaining \$580,000 worth of bonds for the right to purchase them at par and accrued interest. The company agrees to pay over to the city \$116,000 of the bond money on April 1, 1914.

The rate of \$5000 each year from 1924 to 1952. The company will make two payments of \$116,000 each year, one on the date stated above and the second on May 15, until the whole issue is taken up.

The signing of the bonds yesterday was an arduous task for both officials. While no statement would be made by them, it is understood that the signing was the result of a decision by the council to accept the first proposition stated above, and to have everything in readiness so that it could be put through Monday night.

Several distinguished visitors were present at the meeting of Onetah Council No. 196, Order of Pochontas, at the meeting of that lodge last night. Among the visitors were Mrs. Emma Weidemann of Los Angeles, great Pochontas; Mrs. Lorenna O'Neil of San Francisco, great Minnehaha, and great trustee, Mrs. Jeanette Rawlins.

Secretary of State Democratic Central Committee Denies Having Hired Hand Writing Expert

Branding as false the reports sent broadcast from Sacramento to the effect that the Democratic State Central Committee was behind the task which Theodore Kytko, handwriting expert of San Francisco, has been doing at the capital, J. O. Davis, chairman of the Democratic state body, goes further and declares that his constituents are absolutely not interested in the recall of State Senator James C. Owens.

W. B. Pettit, chairman of the county central committee, saw the dispatches and knowing that they were hurting the Democratic cause in the state, took the matter up with Davis. No sooner had the subject been broached than Davis clearly showed his wrath.

"It is not true in any sense of the word and I most emphatically deny it. The State Central Committee will never take a hand in such a fight as this, and to tell you the truth, it has never been put before me, and I was astonished when I saw the published statements."

When the dispatches appeared the News called attention to them and branded as false the report, and alleged statements of Kytko. What further proof is needed to show who is paying the salary of the expert? It is another illustration of what a man, without any weapons to make his battle, will do.

Owens has gone to Oakland and secured a publicity bureau to fight his campaign for him. This publicity bureau, and we will publish the name of it in a few days, is sending broadcast throughout Marin and Contra Costa counties stories about the great and mighty Jim, which are causing the whole county to laugh.

It surely is going some when a man is unable to find one paper in the county to make his battle, and has to resort to a paid bureau to come to the front for him.

Richmond club women assisted in the organization of a new woman's club at Crockett yesterday afternoon. The new organization, which will become a member of the Federated Clubs, has been named the Carquinez Women's Club.

About fifty Crockett and Velasco women were present and all signed the charter roll. The following officers have been elected: President, Mrs. Lunt; vice president, Mrs. Holbrook; recording secretary, Mrs. M. Ladd; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Knapp; treasurer, Mrs. Hazen.

Mrs. A. A. Paul acted as temporary chairman, while the club was in process of organization. The forming of the new club is part of the work assigned to Mrs. C. B. Gibson of Richmond, who is chairman of the club extension department of the Alameda division of Federated Clubs.

Mrs. Gibson, accompanied by ten other Richmond club women, made the trip to Crockett and aided in the forming of the club. Several of the local women made short talks.

The new club has selected the high school building as its regular meeting place.

The local women returned to their homes in this city late this afternoon.

M. Moltoza, father of Constable John Moltoza, is convalescing from a severe case of appendicitis.

Each person attending the banquet will be charged the small sum of 35 cents, payable to C. F. Beckhaus before leaving the hall.

Beckhaus is the caterer for the lunch, and he has promised that the spread will be everything desired and more.

The Sequoia Club is making strides in growth. During the month of February thirty new members were added to the organization. It is expected that this many more will be added during the present month.

Be a booster for the town and attend the banquet.

FRANCIS G. NEWLANDS

Nevada Senator, who is one of the leading factors in putting through anti-trust legislation in recent years.



LABOR MAN IS HOT ON TRAIL OF OWENS

MARTINEZ, March 11.—A libel suit against State Senator James C. Owens is threatened by Paul Scharrenberg, secretary of the State Federation of Labor, as a result of the charges hurled by Owens in replying to charges of misconduct and inefficiency preferred against him by the labor men in seeking to bring about his recall.

Scharrenberg was in Martinez on Wednesday morning accompanied by his attorney and was in conference with District Attorney A. B. McKenzie, to whom he stated his case.

District Attorney McKenzie stated that the matter is being investigated by his office, but would not say whether or not such a suit for criminal libel will be instituted by him.

Senator Owens says that Scharrenberg's fight against him is being made on that portion of his reply published recently which reads as follows:

"I am charged with having voted against the cement bill. I did so and am proud of it. The cement bill was admittedly a cinch measure drawn by Scharrenberg or some men of his caliber. Had it passed it would have put thousands of men in California out of employment. It was charged that the work in these mills was unhealthy. The unimpeached testimony of employees in the mills disclosed that the workmen are as strong and healthy as any class of men in the state."

Phil Atkins is now kicking himself because he paid a man to get a lot of scrap wood out from under his new house, only to have Kelly's bunch come along and grab it all up.

Mrs. M. T. Stakal, widow of the late head of the San Pablo school, and her daughter, Miss Margaret, have moved to Oakland. Their address is 472 Moss avenue, Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Smith and family are back from Antioch, where they have been sojourning for the past six months.

SAY FLOATER JUMPED OFF STEAMER

Body Found to Be Corpse of the Man Who Shot Himself on the Steamship T. C. Walker.

CLOTHES IDENTIFIED BY STEAMER CAPTAIN

Chief Arnold of Opinion That Complete Identification Will Be Established Today.

That the body of the unidentified man found floating in the bay near Point Orient Monday afternoon is none other than that of the man who committed suicide on the river steamer T. C. Walker on January 29 last, has been revealed by the investigation conducted under the supervision of Chief of Police Arnold. This was determined yesterday through the captain of the steamer, who recognized the clothes worn by the suicide.

The act was committed by a revolver, the shot entering under the chin, and emerging near the top of the skull. After the commission of the act, lifeboats were lowered and an effort made to find the body. A strong tide carried the body out of reach before it came to the top again, and the corpse was lost sight of.

The general description of the size of the deceased and the clothes worn tallies in every particular with the description of the man who ended his life on the Walker.

The body, although bloated, was in a remarkable state of preservation, considering the fact that it had been in the water constantly for six weeks, only the hands were missing.

Chief Arnold expects to absolutely ascertain the suicide's name today or tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Sisson are home again after a sojourn in El Segundo and Concord. They are mighty glad to be back in San Pablo once more.

C. C. Smith of Fresno is visiting his daughters, Mrs. W. F. Falla and Mrs. E. Kaiser of this city. Mr. Smith will be here several weeks.

March 28—Whist party at Pythian Castle by Contra Costa Temple No. 113, Pythian Sisters.

Sequoia Club, Richmond Booster, to Give Banquet

The initial banquet of the Sequoia Commercial Club, Richmond's live wire commercial and social organization, will be given tomorrow in Sequoia Hall. The banquet will start at noon and continue until 2 o'clock. Hundreds of invitations asking business men and other residents to be present at the festivities were sent out yesterday. From the manner in which the invitations have been responded to it looks as though a crowd of between four and five hundred will be present.

The object of the banquet is to give the businessmen of the city and interested in the welfare of the city

an opportunity to get together and go over plans for Richmond's advancement. Those in charge of the luncheon have worked untiringly and its success is already assured.

Friday, the thirteenth, generally considered an unlucky day, will be a red-letter day in the history of the Sequoia Club.

Arrangements have been made to have several speeches after the "eat." Among those who are to speak are D. J. Hall, C. S. Hannum, C. J. Cray, W. F. Freudenberg, W. T. Helms and F. J. Hulaniski. Short members of the club and all others talks will also be made by other men present.

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GET RID OF THE FLY.

We trust that every reader of the News read the very interesting article on flies that Health Commissioner Blake contributed to last Sunday's paper. We say we trust that every one read it, because everyone can help carry out the suggestions that it contains.

For many years medicine was a haphazard science. Experiments were made by physicians and they ascertained that this or that remedy cured, or improved a patient suffering from a given disease, and they applied the remedy, but why it bettered their conditions, or why they gave the remedy other than that it had succeeded with others no doctor could have told you.

Though it is many years since Hypocrates first lectured, medicine is a very modern science, really it is the most modern of all the sciences. It has been only a few years, within the memory of many persons now living that medicine began to be conducted along scientific lines, and that doctors began to study the origin of a given disease. When the discovery was made that rabies could be cured by inoculation, which was a development of the theory that small pox could be cured by vaccination, the first progress of importance was made in medicine. Doctors began to be scientists. They were no longer working along haphazard lines, and the result has been that medicine has made more progress during the last twentyfive years than it made in as many centuries before.

Physicians today go down to the root of the evil. They find out what causes the disease, they study it at its very inception, and as a result they are getting rid of diseases permanently. They in a word are now going on the theory that a preventative is better than a cure.

It is in accord with that idea that the discovery has been made that malaria is due to mosquitoes, that yellow fever has the same origin, with the results that the Campaignia below Rome which has been unhealthy for ages before Christ, and Havana and Panama which were the plague spots of the earth are now more healthy than Richmond or San Francisco.

Pursuing the same line of investigation further it was discovered that various kinds of insects carried disease, or produce it, and among the number are flies.

The fly was formerly looked upon as the most harmless of the animal kingdom, but today we know that he is one of the most dangerous and that flies kill far more human beings annually than all the tigers, lions and wild animals in the world. The fly therefore must go.

The methods by which the fly spreads disease has been so aptly illustrated all over the state by the health department that perhaps it is hardly necessary to point out that it flies upon a sick person, rests upon a sore, or lights upon some decayed food, or other substances and carries the disease germs to the next place where it rests again, upon its feet. The result is that disease is spread and thousands of persons are made ill, who are never able to even guess from whence their sickness came.

It would appear only reasonable that knowing the danger from flies they would be driven out of the country as rigorously as mosquitoes are in Panama. But strange as it may appear many persons prefer to bury their relatives or be buried themselves rather than to take the little trouble needed to exterminate the fly.

As with the mosquito the way to get rid of the fly is not to kill the adults, but to destroy the eggs and germs from which the fly develops. The fly lays her eggs in dirt cans, and especially in the manure in stables. If housewives will cover the one and stable keepers get rid of the other an enormous amount of disease will be prevented. It is not a costly way to save life, and it requires only a little care on the part of every one. Then too, garbage carts should not be allowed to drive around uncovered. In a word the fly should have no place to lay its eggs, and then it would not be a year before the pest of flies will have disappeared.

It is hardly necessary to point out that aside from the sanitary side of the question the comfort of not being pestered with flies is well worth the trouble required to exterminate them.

The suggestion of Commissioner Blake to swat the fly is excellent, but it would take all humanity an eternity to exterminate him by swatting. Better stop his breeding. The way is simply to cover all refuse and filth and the flies will pass into history.

IS OWENS A COWARD?

Senator James C. Owens allowed statements to be made at the mass meeting last Saturday evening that no man who claims to have any red blood in his veins would have suffered in silence. Frankly we have always had a better opinion of Owens than he has proven himself worthy of during this recall campaign. He has fallen down all along the line, and as a result there is not a word that even his friends find possible to say in his name. The accusations made by the speakers last Saturday night were of a character that no man who is a MAN would have endured in silence. Possibly a very religious and devote person might have turned the other cheek, but Owens is not in that category, and therefore will not venture to assert that his silence was due to religious zeal. To allow a man to state openly that one of the reasons why he dodged several votes was because he was not competent to vote, if it be true, is a charge that no man who has a desire to preserve his good name will allow to pass in silence unless he knows that the charge be true and therefore he knows that he has no defense. Is that the position of James C. Owens? If it is we simply pity the man. He has fallen so low even among those who know him that he is not able to resent an insult.

Warned time and time again that he would be called upon to

reply Owens was absent from the meeting, and although repeatedly invited to come forward and speak he repeated his Sacramento tactics on the seven hundred and thirty-one ballots when he did not vote and dodged the issue. We feel sorry for Owens. The spectacle that he affords here in his home town is so despicable that with the kindest feeling for him we can only feel sorrow. No insult is too gross, no statement too insulting, no charge too serious to keep him from dodging it. What sympathy should not we feel for a man placed in such a position among those who have known him all his life. It is to weep. It is to feel that one life has been wrecked, and that there is nothing before him in the future. Even if he should not be recalled, through the carelessness of the voters, he will still have been silent so often when he should have spoken that only pity can reach the depths where he has fallen. Alas, Poor Owens, he might have been honored and respected in the community but instead he allows any one to call him what they please and knowing the justice of the charges dares not reply. His silence is a confession of guilt.

HOW DO THE TAXPAYERS LIKE THE TUNNEL BILLS?

Now that the building of the tunnel has once more begun, how do the taxpayers like the bill for nothing that they have to foot? Think of it you who are paying taxes out of your daily earnings, of paying \$55 a day for nothing? Do you like that plan? How do you like spending \$6,000 for a street that is not a street? How long would it take you gentle reader, if you be working for wages to earn the \$25,000 that has been wasted? How much of your wages has gone birdnesting? Those are pertinent questions. They are questions which interest every taxpayer in Richmond and which therefore should have their careful consideration.

If every member of the city council had been paid such salaries as a city commissioner receives in a town of this size, would the city have spent as much money as it has thrown away? Would it have had all sorts of legal troubles? Would it be now facing a loss of thousands? It is a very false economy to allow the city's affairs to be run by a board who work for love, and who have that excuse to give for their incompetency? It is cheaper to employ competent men who will attend to their business, who have some legal, and some engineering ability, than it is to place the direction of city affairs in the hands of people who however well their intentions, can lay no claim to either. The city should be run along business lines. Is there a taxpayer in Richmond who does not endorse those ideas.

GET UP THE PETITION.

The first thing to do to secure a change in the city government is to petition for a special election. It has to be granted if there are names enough signed to it, and there should be no difficulty in getting all the signatures twice over that are required after the experience this town has had with its incompetent present city government.

We should be glad to see the mayor, who has shown such commendable zeal for the best interests of the city, lead the new movement. He knows from his experience across the Atlantic what a commission form of government is and what powers the new charter should have. He can show himself at once as a true progressive, not in a party sense, because there is no party politics in city matters, but in the broadest sense of the term. Around him will rally all the best elements in the community, because there is a general demand for a first class charter, and when the new government is inaugurated no doubt the people, recognizing his work for reform, will give him a chance to help establish the new and better government in our midst.

We again call attention to the fact that the next Legislature must give this city an appropriation of \$100,000 for its harbor if the appropriation which Congress is undoubtedly going to make for that purpose is to become available. To get that money we must have at Sacramento a man who is on to his job and who does not dodge roll calls, and who does not miss seven hundred of them in a few weeks. The retention of James C. Owens at Sacramento next winter means no harbor for Richmond. That is a very important matter that the voters of this town should not overlook.

The next session of the Legislature will lack many of the picturesque features of the sessions for many years past: Carl Browne will be missed; he is dead. And now "Rough Neck" Teesdale has started for Washington, as his successor with Kelly's army of the unemployed. "Legislature" Smith died several years ago, and now none of the eccentric old characters of the past are left to ornament either the Senate, the Assembly or the lobbies.

Porto Rico wants to be independent, but under the care and protection of the United States. If all the requests in this line were granted the United States would have nothing to do but to keep up an enormous navy to protect would-be independent countries. The best place for Porto Rico is under the American flag. There may be fewer offices for the would-be officeholders, but otherwise the country will be far better off.

If the candidates for the Superior Judgeship continue to announce themselves it will not be long before all the lawyers in the county are on the list of candidates. If it has no other effect the candidates will at least learn how popular they are in their home county.

When you are paying thirty-three and a third per cent more to ride in the cars from Oakland to Richmond than you should, remember that you are contributing to keep up the expenses of some members of the British aristocracy and be contented.

Owens admits by his silence that the charges against him are true. The admissions should recall him unanimously. A man who cannot defend himself better than he has managed to do does not deserve the slightest support.

Sunday while everyone was enjoying the beach bathing at Keller's a few photographs should have been taken and sent East to the poor unfortunates who are busy shoveling snow and keeping warm.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Kerr of Oakdale have returned to their home at that place after visiting for some time in Richmond.

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FUTURE DOINGS

March 12.—Whist party at Fraternal Hall by Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Score cards, 25 cents.

March 12.—Richmond Tango and Social Club's social dance at Pythian Castle. Gentlemen 50c; ladies 25c.

March 13.—Pie social by Lincoln Homestead No. 265, A. O. U. W. Hall.

March 17.—St. Patrick's whist party by El Cerrito Camp, M. W. A., in Bank Hall. Valuable prizes with each table. Score cards 50 cents.

March 17.—Annual St. Patrick's ball of the Y. L. I. and Y. M. I. at East Shore park. Admission 50 cents. Music by Park orchestra.

March 17.—St. Patrick's social to be given by the girls of the Junior Philanthia class in the rooms of the Wesley Methodist Church.

March 18.—Ladies of the Wesley Methodist church will give a tea at the home of Mrs. Bieber, 228 Nevins avenue.

March 20.—Social dance Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen at Pythian Castle. Logan's Orchestra.

March 20.—Junior Baraca Boys to give banquet and booster meeting in the Wesley Methodist Church. All boys between the ages of 14 and 18 are invited to attend.

March 20.—Whist party given by Richmond Hive, Ladies of the Macabees of the World, in A. O. U. W. Hall. Dancing and refreshments. Score cards 50 cents.

March 25.—Whist party by Herman Sons, to take place in Bank Hall.

March 28.—Whist party by Contra Costa Temple, Pythian Sisters. Refreshments and dancing.

April 3.—First annual ball of Richmond Court No. 4940 I. O. F., in Sequoia Hall. Tickets 50 cents. Ladies free.

April 11.—Military ball of Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, in Pythian Castle. Union music. Tickets 50 cents

April 17.—Windmills of Holland, given by the music department of High School at auditorium of Lincoln School. Admission 35 and 50 cents.

May 2.—Dance at East Shore Park, under the auspices of the Building Trades and Central Labor Council.

May 9.—First annual ball given by the Pullman Fire company at East Shore Park.

SCORES FLOCKING TO MILLINERY DISPLAY

Scores of women are flocking daily to the big store of A. G. Weeks & Co. on Macdonald avenue, where the Easter millinery show is now in progress. Mrs. Weeks has arranged her display in an exceptionally clever fashion, and having placed her prices right, should find her season a very successful one.

Mrs. Weeks desires to extend an invitation to every woman in town to be present in the next few days. She invites you to inspect her stock and compare it with that found in the larger stores about the bay cities. Her selections are away above the average, as is shown by the fact that so many prominent local women are buying at her place.

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George McGee and James Ryan, the duo arrested Tuesday by Sergeant Ruis and Officer Barry, and charged with dispensing cheap jewelry without a license, plead guilty to the charge before Police Judge Lindsay yesterday, and each received a sentence of ten days in the county jail. When captured the two men had enough jewelry in their possession to start a store with. They were captured by the minions of the law after an exciting chase.

EILEEN MURPHY RECITAL THIS MORNING

At 11 o'clock this morning Miss Eileen Murphy, a talented musician, will give a recital in the assembly room of the high school before the entire student body. A large number of local musicians and music lovers expect to avail themselves of the opportunity to hear the recital. A general invitation has been extended to the public to be present.

Miss Murphy's home is in Berkeley. She has come into much prominence of late through her remarkable technique and distinctive method of interpretation.

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TO THE VOTERS OF THE FIRST SUPERVISOR DISTRICT, CONTRA COSTA, CAL.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Supervisor to represent the people of the above District on the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County.
Primary Election August 25, 1914.
General Election Nov. 3, 1914.

As under the existing law the election for County Offices is non-partisan, I propose to base my candidacy upon a determination to act as an official in a non-partisan manner and not to be swayed in my official conduct by political or other influences.

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CROCKETT HELPED BY SUGAR CO. THEY SAY

The Richmond women who took the trip to Crockett yesterday to assist the women of that place in the organization of a new club, returned visibly impressed with the great amount of improvement work which has been done in the neighboring town by the California and Hawaiian Sugar Refining Company, which operates a big plant there.

Crockett, although small, the women declare, has sanitary conditions and advantages for the young man and the young woman that many larger cities the size of Richmond do not possess.

The sugar company has recently installed a playground for children, and took a leading part in the building of the Y. M. C. A. structure.

The company, the Richmond women learned, is planning the erection of a two-story gymnasium for young men in the near future.

NINE CANDIDATES OUT FOR TRIP TO L. A.

There were nine nominations for delegates to the Grand Parlor, which will be held in Los Angeles next April, made at the meeting of the local order of Native Sons last night. Two delegates are allowed from each lodge, and the two delegates from the local parlor will be elected out of the nine candidates, at a meeting to be held a week from next Wednesday night.

There will be no meeting on the regular meeting night next Wednesday evening, as there will be a session of the past presidents of East Bay counties in Oakland at that time. G. W. Randolph and G. W. Doll were taken into the lodge last night.

ECONOMICS TO BE STUDIED BY "Y" CLUB

The "Y's" meeting at Rev. Guy White's home Monday evening proved to be a most enjoyable affair. The motto of the evening was "System," and many novel incidents arose throughout the evening as a result of the systematization of the program.

During the business session the resignation of Miss Winifred Conwell from the presidency of the club was regrettably accepted. Vernon Welch was elected to the office.

The study of economics was taken up last night. The economics committee, composed of Cullen Bryant, Harold Garrard and Octavia Norton, is planning special studies for the next meeting.

TAKE IN HALF DOZEN MORE MEMBERS

The Fraternal Brotherhood, No. 217, completed arrangements last night for another of their highly successful chicken whist parties which they will hold on April 15. These parties have been very popular in the past and the public will be glad to hear the announcement of another one. Six new members were initiated last evening into the growing Brotherhood. Speeches from Otto T. Mahan and wife, district organizers, who were present, were well received.

ARNOLD HOME IS SCENE OF GAY GATHERING

Little Miss Ella Arnold was last evening the charming hostess to a number of her friends at her home, 45 Nevada avenue. The decorations and games of the evening were all appropriate to the St. Patrick season and the refreshments were such as would please the most particular son

SCOOP

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REPORTER

The longest word in the new dictionary is to long By "HOP"



of Erin. Those present were: Misses Muriel Fitzpatrick, Goldie Gnaga, Vivian La Selle, Musetta Hopkins, Helen Freeman, Elma Steel, Ethel Greene, Marion McMenamin, Carol Ford, Rita Arnold; Theodore Jones, Clarence Ford, Edward Fitzpatrick, George Greathouse, Linus Cassidy, Edward Fitzpatrick, Walter Lamore, Jephtha White, Frank Wolf, Welsey Arnold and Howard Arnold.

H. Curry, trustee for one year; H. P. Wyatt, trustee for two years; Percy Kitchen, trustee for three years; N. C. Anderson, inside guard; Joe Baker, outside guard.

The supreme representatives to the Grand Lodge, which will be held in San Diego, were also chosen last night. Frank Bosworth and W. A. Cramer are delegates, while C. A. Clark was chosen alternate.

Next Saturday afternoon all local Moose who are going to attend the big convention in San Francisco are requested to meet at the Santa Fe depot at 5:30 o'clock. Those that are going on Sunday are requested to meet at 10 a.m. on Sunday. A class of over 2000 candidates are to be initiated in San Francisco, and among this number are several local men.

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FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT—Log Cabin Circle No. 5408 meets every second and fourth Tuesday of each month in Bank hall, corner Eighth and Macdonald avenue. Mrs. Anna B. Richards, Guardian Neighbor; Elfreeda Scott, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN—El Cerrito Camp No. 11622, Modern Woodmen of America, meets every Tuesday evening at Bank hall, Eighth and Macdonald. F. E. Tiller, Consul; C. B. Evans, Clerk.

REBEKAHS—Richmond Rebekah Lodge, No. 206, meets first and third Thursdays in each month at A. O. U. W. Bank hall, Sixth and Macdonald. Amy F. Thrall, N. G.; Mrs. Margaret Shea, Secretary.

PYTHIAN SISTERS—Richmond Temple No. 86 meets every Monday evening at Pythian Castle on Fifth street, near Macdonald. Amy Carpenter, M. E. C.; Alta Cook, M. of R. and S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Richmond Lodge No. 13 meets every Friday evening at Pythian Castle. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend the meeting. O. F. Lilly, C. C.; A. S. Lilly, K. of R. & S.

PYTHIAN SISTERS—Contra Costa Temple, No. 143, meets every Saturday evening at Pythian Castle on Fifth street, near Macdonald. Bessie Gregory, M. E. C.; Jessie Perry, M. of R. and C.

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock, at Bank hall, corner Eighth and Macdonald avenue. F. W. Heckman, Noble Grand; E. G. Alexander, Secretary.

HERMANN SONS—Richmond Lodge No. 37 meets at Bank hall, corner Eighth and Macdonald, every first and third Wednesday nights at 8 o'clock. E. Forwick Secretary.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—Richmond Court, No. 4940. Meets first and third Fridays of the month at Sequoia Hall. L. B. Hutchins, Chief Ranger. Miss Helen Fussell, Financial Secretary, 400 Macdonald avenue.

CEMENT WORKERS' LOCAL NO. 138, A. B. of C. W., meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Labor Temple, Fourth, near Macdonald. O. N. Smith, president. C. A. Tyogood, secretary.

CIRCLE LADIES OF G. A. R.—Meet second and fourth Tuesday afternoons at 2 o'clock in Bank Hall. President, Mrs. Mary B. Moyle; secretary, Mrs. Nettie Murry.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Maple Camp No. 4027, Royal Neighbors of America. Meets every Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Bank Hall. Visitors cordially welcome. Ella Bowman, Oracle; Louise Wymer, Recorder, 643 S. Fifteenth street.

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FOR SALE—Upright folding bed for sale cheap; French plate mirror. Apply 327 Bissell ave. 3-10-1f

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FOR RENT—4-room up to date cottage; rent \$17, including water; also a 3-room house, \$16.50, including water. Apply 430 22nd street. 3-10-3f

FOR RENT—Three furnished house-keeping rooms. 458 Fifth st.; \$15. 3-8-3f

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12:20 a.m.	86—Martinez, Modesto, Fresno		1:13 a.m.	86—Martinez, Modesto, Fresno
6:20 a.m.	36—Martinez, Tracy, Los Banos, Fresno		7:08 a.m.	28—Sacramento, Roseville, Dunsmuir
7:00 a.m.	28—Sacramento, Roseville, Dunsmuir		7:48 a.m.	22—Sacramento, Willows
7:20 a.m.	22—Sacramento, Willows		8:08 a.m.	42—Calistoga, Santa Rosa, San Ramon
8:00 a.m.	42—Calistoga, Santa Rosa, San Ramon		8:45 a.m.	84—Martinez, Modesto, Bakersfield
8:40 a.m.	84—Martinez, Modesto, Bakersfield		9:30 a.m.	60—Concord
9:40 a.m.	60—Concord		10:31 a.m.	20—Chicago (Stops for Ogden and East)
10:20 a.m.	20—Chicago (Stops for Ogden and East)		11:08 a.m.	8—Martinez, Modesto, Los Angeles
10:40 a.m.	8—Martinez, Modesto, Los Angeles		11:30 a.m.	30—Sacramento and Marysville
12:00 p.m.	30—Sacramento and Marysville		12:52 p.m.	14—Portland, Willows (Stops on Flag)
1:00 p.m.	14—Portland, Willows (Stops on Flag)		1:50 p.m.	18—Sacramento, Yuba City, Oroville
3:00 p.m.	18—Sacramento, Yuba City, Oroville		3:48 p.m.	52—Martinez, Modesto, Fresno
3:20 p.m.	52—Martinez, Modesto, Fresno		4:12 p.m.	2—Chicago (Stops for Cheyenne and East)
4:00 p.m.	2—Chicago (Stops for Cheyenne and East)		4:44 p.m.	50—Byron Springs, Modesto, Fresno
4:40 p.m.	50—Byron Springs, Modesto, Fresno		5:27 p.m.	10—Chicago (Stops for Ogden and East)
5:00 p.m.	10—Chicago (Stops for Ogden and East)		5:52 p.m.	48—Sacramento, Marysville, Chico
5:00 p.m.	48—Sacramento, Marysville, Chico		5:57 p.m.	6—Chicago, Martinez, Stockton
6:40 p.m.	6—Chicago, Martinez, Stockton		7:32 p.m.	16—Portland, Roseville, Chico
8:20 p.m.	16—Portland, Roseville, Chico		9:13 p.m.	150—Martinez, San Ramon
5:40 p.m.	150—Martinez, San Ramon		6:32 p.m.	

WEST-BOUND FROM RICHMOND FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Leave	Richmond	— FROM —	Arrive	San Francisco
6:27 a.m.	13—Portland, Willows		7:30 a.m.	87—Fresno, Modesto, Martinez
6:57 a.m.	87—Fresno, Modesto, Martinez		7:50 a.m.	28—Tonopah, Sacramento, Susan
7:08 a.m.	28—Tonopah, Sacramento, Susan		8:10 a.m.	41—Livermore, Vallejo
8:12 a.m.	41—Livermore, Vallejo		9:10 a.m.	81—Tracy, Santa Rosa, Calistoga
9:16 a.m.	81—Tracy, Santa Rosa, Calistoga		10:10 a.m.	17—Oroville, Yuba City, Sacramento
10:08 a.m.	17—Oroville, Yuba City, Sacramento		11:10 a.m.	47—(Stops to let off from north of Davis)
10:41 a.m.	47—(Stops to let off from north of Davis)		11:30 a.m.	49—Fresno, Modesto, Martinez
11:53 a.m.	49—Fresno, Modesto, Martinez		12:50 p.m.	3—Chicago, Stockton, Martinez
12:33 p.m.	3—Chicago, Stockton, Martinez		1:30 p.m.	29—Red Bluff, Willows, Sacramento
3:31 p.m.	29—Red Bluff, Willows, Sacramento		4:30 p.m.	83—Bakersfield, Modesto, Martinez
3:37 p.m.	83—Bakersfield, Modesto, Martinez		5:30 p.m.	43—Santa Rosa, Calistoga, San Ramon
5:12 p.m.	43—Santa Rosa, Calistoga, San Ramon		6:30 p.m.	57—Santa Rosa, Calistoga, San Ramon
5:27 p.m.	57—Santa Rosa, Calistoga, San Ramon		6:30 p.m.	59—Concord, Martinez
5:27 p.m.	59—Concord, Martinez		6:30 p.m.	21—Sacramento
5:42 p.m.	21—Sacramento		7:15 p.m.	7—Los Angeles, Modesto, Martinez
7:15 p.m.	7—Los Angeles, Modesto, Martinez		8:50 p.m.	27—Red Bluff, Chico, Sacramento
8:50 p.m.	27—Red Bluff, Chico, Sacramento		9:50 p.m.	209—Colfax, Sacramento
10:25 p.m.	35—Fresno, Los Banos, Martinez		10:40 p.m.	

*Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only. ‡Flag. No. 19 (due 7:50 a.m.) stops to let off passengers from east of Ogden, and No. 1 (due 9:05 a.m.) stops to let off passengers from east of Cheyenne. Time table effective January 4, 1914. Time table subject to change without notice. H. A. STIVER, Agent.

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IN THE SOCIAL WHIRL

SPEND DAY VISITING ON MAKE ISLAND.

A party of Richmond residents, composed of Mrs. C. L. Nelson, Mrs. C. A. Townsend, Miss Gladys Pond and Mrs. E. Franck, spent yesterday on an outing to Make Island. They boarded the battleship Maryland, where many of the mysteries of the big war dogs were explained to them. They were also shown all the sights on the island. Mr. Franck is head musician on the Maryland.

NEWLYWEDS BACK.

Detective Charles Walker, who was married last Thursday to Miss Ruby Bullock of Berkeley, brought his bride back to this city yesterday and the two have started housekeeping at 144 Fourth street. Yesterday Walker reported for work.

The couple were received by a large crowd of friends and it is said the police are planning to soon swoop down on the newlyweds and take them by storm.

PUPILS OF SAN PABLO SCHOOL TAKE TESTS

Mid-term examinations were held at the San Pablo school yesterday and all of the pupils, who have been preparing for the ordeal, felt a whole lot better last night. The examinations were given by the Board of Education and were a severe test for the pupils and the fact that they came through with flying colors speaks volumes for their late tutor, Professor Mickal, and his successor, Professor Elch.

The sixth, seventh and eighth grades completed their work in business methods, civics and physiology and will now retire the books dealing with those subjects and devote more of their time to the remaining subjects, tests in which will be given in May.

LINNELL HOME IS SCENE OF GAY PARTY

Tuesday night a number of the young friends of Miss Florence Linnell tendered her a surprise party in honor of her fifth birthday. The party was held at the Linnell home at 341 Eleventh street. The home was profusely decorated in pink and white, and the general scheme was carried out also on the table. Those present enjoyed themselves playing juvenile games.

The list of guests included Miss Beth Woodford, Miss Bell Woodford, Miss Carolyn Cole, Miss Lillian Mills, Miss Geraldine Rock, Miss Maude Muller, Miss Bell Smith, Master Whittlesey and Madeline Whittlesey.

PITCHER WILL TRY COME BACK STUNT

Orville Kilroy, the young right-handed pitcher, well known here, who won 8 and lost 13 games with the 1911 Oakland Coast Leaguers under the leadership of Harry Wolverton, will be given a thorough try-out with the pitching staff of the 1914 Sacramento Wolves.

Last year Kilroy did some effective twirling in the Trolley league and Cap Wolverton is confident that he will deliver the goods and prove one of the best winning young pitchers on the coast this season.

TO THE PEOPLE OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Superior Judge of Contra Costa County.

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Under the recent law all county officials are elected on a non-partisan basis. If elected I will stand for an absolutely fair and impartial trial of all cases with the least delay possible.

C. A. CLARK.

STREET ROLLER HITS POLE; SHOCKING

When a street roller being used on the Ashland avenue extension bumped into a telegraph pole on Richmond avenue this afternoon, several people who were phoning received sudden shocks and the phones in the State street section of the west side of Richmond were temporarily put out of order. The telephone company is working on the lines and regular service will be resumed today.

'HANK' ADAMS TO BE BURIED TODAY

The body of the late "Hank" Adams, well known Santa Fe railroadman for many years, will be tenderly interred in Santa Rosa this morning following impressive funeral services. Friends of the decedent from all over the state will be present at the last rites. Over a score of mourners will be present from Richmond. All the relatives of the beloved railroad man residing here will attend the services.

All the leading magazines at Ferguson's Drug Store, 724 Macdonald avenue.

PRANK RESULTS IN EARLY CLOSING

A youngster's prank resulted in the dismissal of school at the Lincoln grammar school a half hour before the regular time yesterday afternoon. One of the smaller pupils rang the bell in a spirit of fun, and before the teachers could realize they were the victims of a practical joke the majority of their charges were on the way home.

Principal Zumwalt has not yet discovered the identity of the young offender.

THOUGHTEND WAS NEAR: ONLY ECLIPSE

"Is the world coming to an end?" queried an excited local resident over the phone early last evening.

"Why?" went back over the wire from the News office.

"Well, there is something radically wrong with the moon," exclaimed the frightened one, "and I don't know what to think. I have started moving my furniture out."

Then it became necessary for the poor reporter, who is looked upon as a species of human encyclopedia, to explain that the moon was undergoing a partial eclipse.

The eclipse started at 6:32, was half over at 8:03 and was a thing of the past at 9:34.

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PASTOR TALKS TO WOMEN ABOUT NEW BOOK

Rev. Charles A. Young gave an interesting reading and interpretation of Winston Churchill's novel, "Inside the Cup," at the Christian Church yesterday afternoon. There was a large gathering of intelligent women on hand, who listened intently for over an hour to the story. It is a strong arraignment of those in the church, who contend for orthodoxy, but who are indifferent to righteousness and justice. Eldon Parr, a vestryman and a multi-millionaire, employs a shrewd lawyer, Langmaid, to do his tricky work. Langmaid finds a rector for the church, which has only highly respectable members, but which is situated near the slums of a great city. Hodder, the rector, is at first very orthodox, but finding the church spirit really dead, begins working for the poor and outcast. He tries to make the church service able and vital.

Reverend Young got this far in his story when an adjournment was necessary until the fourth Wednesday afternoon in March. He will also briefly discuss some of the many modern problems which the book raises, "The Virgin Birth," "The Atonement," "The Apostolic Succession," which are all secondary in the book to the necessity for a genuine spiritualistic conversion.

MISSIONARY IS INTERESTING TALKER

Miss Wood, a returned missionary, spoke to a big crowd in the Wesleyan Methodist Church last night. Beside her native eloquence Miss Wood showed a knowledge of her subject that held the rapt attention of her hearers. She went into detail concerning conditions in foreign lands, where the missionaries are extending the influence of the Bible, and told of the triumphs of Christianity over Paganism.

ANNA LUND SIGNS LIFE CONTRACT IN S. F.

Miss Anna Lund, a popular and pretty local high school girl, became the bride of Peter J. Peterson of Fargo, N. D., at a wedding consummated in San Francisco last Monday.

The bride is the daughter of John L. Lund, a local retired capitalist. The nuptials are the culmination of an attachment which began several years ago in the northwestern city. The groom arrived in this city last week, and immediately hid himself to Martinez, where the bliss permit was obtained. The newlyweds will make their home in Fargo.

DRILLS TO START ON TUNNEL JOB SATURDAY

Four drills will commence peeping away at the hillside next Saturday night, signaling the beginning of the first drift for the big municipal tunnel. Superintendent Carrillo stated yesterday that he will then start three shifts working. Each shift will have from sixteen to twenty men working. There are twenty-four men at work at the present time. The work of removing the dirt from the entrance to the tunnel is still continuing. It was expected that this portion of the job would have been finished yesterday, but there is still considerable dirt to be removed.

Two drifts, one at either side of the tunnel, will be started and continued through to the other side. Then a shift will be dug from the top through to the other end. The three drifts will then be connected with a six-foot cut, which will be filled with cement before the core is taken out. Steam shovels will remove the core.

LANG ENTERTAINS BROTHER ELKS AT FEAST

A. C. Lang, well known Elk, and druggist, was host to a number of his lodge brothers at the Imperial Restaurant on Monday evening. A supper fit for a king was served and around the festive board some of the visiting Elks and the local ones got thoroughly acquainted.

Those who attended the feast were District Deputy Exalted Ruler T. H. Haskins and R. B. Valleeau, both of Oakland; exalted ruler of the local lodge, A. C. Lang; leading knight, H. E. French; loyal knight, John A. Bell; Dan Carpenter, A. H. Burnett, F. N. Gordon, H. Tuller and J. O. Ford and Secretary T. H. De Lapp.

ANTICIPATE NO TROUBLE IN RICHMOND

Should the army of Industrial Workers be driven out of Sacramento and Yolo counties, and should they decide to return to the bay region, passing through Richmond on their way, Chief Arnold of the local police force anticipates no trouble in disposing of the problem they will present. Arnold asserted last night that should another I. W. W. invasion become a reality, he is confident that the local authorities could handle the situation without much difficulty and with a minimum of trouble.

Out of the face of it, it seems highly improbable that the Industrial Workers will pay this section another visit.

Reports circulated this afternoon to the effect that Kelley's army was headed this way were found to be groundless.

POPULAR YOUNG MEN TO LEAVE RICHMOND

Larry Copeland and C. B. Stebbins will depart next Monday for the East to make their future homes. Copeland, who has been connected with the big clothing firm of Chas. G. Yonce for the past two years, intends to enter business with his father in Cincinnati, O., while Stebbins will become manager of the Lansing, Mich., Pure Ice Company. After leaving here they will go to Los Angeles and then to Denver and Salt Lake and from then to their destination in easy stages. Both have made hosts of friends while residing here and their departure is sincerely regretted.

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STANDARD OILERS TO TANGLE WITH OAKLAND

Richmond fandom en masse will journey to Oakland Sunday, where Manager "Diamond Dick" Greathouse will trot his Richmond colts out against Art Devlin's Oakland Coast Leaguers. The home guards are going to Oakland with that old fighting spirit and a determination to show the Coast Leaguers that the semi-pros of our village have the real stuff.

The boys have been putting in some hard licks in practice this week and Greathouse says they are in fine fettle. Last Sunday's game has been forgotten, and the sole topic of conversation in baseball circles is the next battle. For the first time in the history of Richmond a local team is to try its prowess against a league organization, and the result of the try will be watched with interest by baseball fans all over the state.

Greathouse claims to have the strongest lineup of the season banded together for the tussle with the Devlin crowd. The team has been materially strengthened by the acquisition of Cliff Clegg, the speedy little backstop, who will be on hand to handle the gyrations put on the pill

by Richmond's two moundsters, Burns and Gordon. Both of these hurlers declare themselves to be in mid-season form.

Langram will hold down the first sack, while that old reliable Hunky Shaw will tag 'em out at second. Hyatt will be in the short patch, with Kelfer on the difficult corner.

Speed Demons Woodbury, Hayes and Toneri will grab everything in the outer gardens.

McCormick and Bradley will go as extras. The club as it will appear against Oakland is the heaviest hitting aggregation that has represented the city in many a day. Manager Devlin of the Commuter gang has not yet announced who he will send in the firing line.

Now get yourself together, every one of ye baseball fans and fannies, and follow the boys to Oakland Sunday afternoon. Don your rooting tags and make the Standard Oilers believe that the town is behind them. Much credit is due the baseball manager for grabbing such a first class baseball morsel, not only for the fans of Richmond, but the whole adjacent territory.

CUNNINGHAM MAY PLAY WITH LOCALS

"Cutie" Cunningham, a member of the Burlingame Club, that came, saw and conquered here Sunday, created such an impression on local fandom that hundreds of baseball bugs are of the opinion that the Richmond management could do worse than to get Cunningham's name on a Standard Oil contract. Cunningham's hitting won him a warm spot in the hearts of the followers of the national pastime here. The way he rode that little round thing around the lot Sunday would do credit to a Joe Jackson or Jake Daubert.

Cunningham was one of the sensations in the fast Trolley League last season. He was in the field of the Colusa Club. While there he stung the ball just as hard as he did at the local park last Sunday.

Cunningham is at present residing in San Francisco. If Richmond fans have their way it will not be long until the speedy little outfielder occupies a berth on the local club.

HIGH GIRLS TO TRY THEIR PROWESS

The girls' basketball team of the local high school will travel to Berkeley this afternoon, where they will meet the girls quintet of Miss Ransome's school of that city. The Berkeley team has an enviable record,

but the local girls are trained to the minute and expect to make a creditable showing. The girls who will play are Anita Kreuger and Mount, forwards; Vera Lautenschlager and Thelma Milnes, centers; Evelyn Robertson, Jennie Moore and Ruth Long, guards; substitutes, Ruth Adair and Louise Fanning.

BILLIARD PARLOR WILL OPEN ON FRIDAY

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COUNCILMAN BETTER.
Councilman William L. Lane took a decided turn for the better yesterday, although he is still unable to leave his bed. His physician, Dr. Charles R. Blake, pronounces him out of danger, and predicts that he will be able to be up within a very few days.

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All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or of his deputies.

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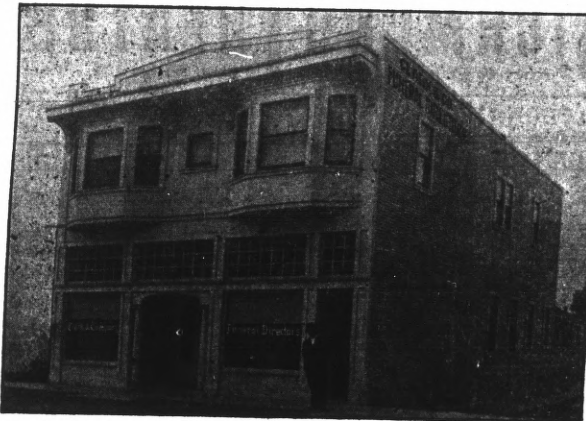
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"We desire to voice our opinion against Sunday circuses in our city, and in making same a sort of general dumping ground for anything of this character which none of our neighboring towns will stand for. We fail to see the point in the city attorney's argument, when he says that if the theaters keep open on Sundays, the circuses must be allowed to also, as the same conditions exist in other cities where the Sunday circus and parade is barred. Hoping that this matter will receive your due consideration, we remain, yours to serve, the Social Service Committee, Wesley Epworth League."

The above resolutions were adopted at one of the most interesting meetings ever held by the committee named, which met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Dammand in Nevin avenue Tuesday evening. Other social questions were discussed and plans outlined for more effective work along these lines than has been done heretofore.

Following the business session, Miss Minnie Jones took charge of affairs in the social hour, which was spent most pleasantly. Games and music occupied the time till the serving of the dainty refreshments by Miss Jones, assisted by Miss Nina Moody and Mrs. Dammand. One of the features of the evening was the presentation of a gold Epworth League pin to Miss Sara Yohn, who is leaving soon for her home in Pennsylvania.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Dammand, Mrs. D. W. Calfee, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hooper, Mrs. R. L. Renoud, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill, Miss Minnie Jones, Miss Nina Moody, Miss Annie Smith, Miss Dora Ford, Miss Avil Hill, Miss Ethel Kates, Miss Sara Yohn, H. E. Kates, R. Pillow and C. Bastin.

Miss Ford and Miss Ada Pearce were admitted as new members to the committee.

BIG TRACTOR DUE HERE NEXT WEEK

The Tilden and Eakle Lumber Co. will receive on Monday or Tuesday of next week one of the largest automobile tractors on the Pacific Coast. The immense machine is one of the specially constructed twenty-ton tractors that are built by the Knox-Martin Manufacturing Co. and will be used between the Richmond, Berkeley and Oakland yards of the company. The great carrying capacity of the machine can be realized when you stop to think that the largest auto truck ordinarily seen on the streets is of five or six ton capacity. The tractor is capable of carrying a whole carload of lumber and will be used in the big inter-city deliveries of the firm.

Tilden and Eakle also opened up a yard in Oakland recently and the increase of business has made necessary the addition of transporting facilities.

RENTS ROOM AND STEALS PETTY ARTICLES

When Mrs. Sutton of 1023 Nevin avenue rented a room to a gray-haired old man about 60 years of age, last Tuesday night, she little dreamed she was harboring a sneak thief. The aged stranger presented a prepossessing appearance and glibly asked for lodging for the evening. Early next morning when the inmates of the Sutton home arose it was found that the new roomer had ransacked three rooms in the house,

and had taken his departure without any one finding out his misdeed. The total loss was a pair of glasses, a razor and a pair of trousers.

The local police have been notified and furnished with a description of the petty thief. Officers of adjacent towns and cities have also been notified by the Richmond officials and it is possible the petty thief will land in the toils when he attempts to dispose of his ill-gotten gains.

PARK BOARD IS READY TO GET TOGETHER

In a few days the newly appointed Park Board will gather for the purpose of discussing the much-mooted question of a tree system for the city. W. S. McRacken has finished resting up from his recent trip East and when communicated with yesterday favored an early meeting.

William F. Faber and Mrs. J. B. Ogborn, the other members of the board, are willing to get together at any time, and within a very few days the public can depend upon hearing some results.

FREEMAN BREAKS FURNITURE; IN JAIL

A too plentiful supply, of John Barleycorn proved the undoing of A. T. Freeman, a Standard Oil employee, early last night when he returned to his wife's home at 155 Richmond avenue in an intoxicated condition and started to wreck the furniture in the domicile.

Freeman and his wife had trouble several months ago and have not been living together since. In order to gain entrance into the interior of the house he had to force his way. Once inside he started his work of demolition and destruction, with the result that the irate wife called on the police to remove him.

Freeman now occupies a cell in the city jail. He will appear before Judge Lindsay this morning to answer to a charge of disturbing the peace.

COURTS SETTLE

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donald avenue, and about \$1500 an acre for land farther back.

Then Pollett made his motion to have the commissioner's report adopted, but there was no second. The discussion then began again. Garrard contended that no matter what action the council took the whole matter would have to be threshed out in court.

Brown declared he would not agree not to start court proceedings to have a valuation placed on the land, even if Garrard's motion carried. In other words, he refused to commit himself.

Mayor O. R. Ludewig then arose and declared he was getting mighty tired of all this wrangling.

"It looks to me," stated the mayor, "that the fellow who is buying his property on the installment plan has as much right to be considered in these proceedings as all these real estate bugs."

"This is nothing but an argument between real estate men. How about the little fellow, way back here (waving the gavel to the north-east end of Twenty-third street). I favor considering him as well as the rest of them."

"When the Tenth-street widening is considered the difference in values is very marked. I am not in favor of letting any valuations stand that are not exactly right. These hard-working men back here have as much right to be considered as any one, and it will be a very material difference to them whether or not the assessments are right."

It would take three newspapers the size of the News to tell all the talk that went on. Any one knows that when a number of really men get together there is some talk. Last night all had their temper up and of course the audience heard more than usual. It was all talk, talk, talk, and no result. It looks as if there will be another bitter set-to before the thing is finally ended.

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